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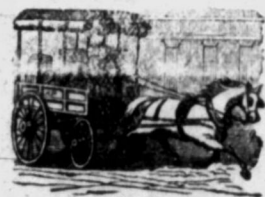
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In the eight-men bowling tournament on Thursday evening, O. W. Whittemore won first prize, and Winfield Durgin second prize.

Open house was the order of the day Thursday, and the members improved the opportunity. The usual games were played, and general enjoyment prevailed throughout the day.

Prof. Falvey did not appear on Saturday night as announced, owing to the snow storm.

On Monday evening, which will be ladies' night, a dance will be given at the club house. This will probably be the last dance of the season, and it is earnestly hoped the members will bear the date in mind.

On Friday last Teams 3 and 5 played, the former being victorious.

	Team 3.		
J. A. Wheeler	159	200	189 548
W. H. Wheeler	143	208	191 542
Colman	158	149	169 476
Hartwell	125	145	172 442
Zoeller	139	155	129 423
Totals	724	857	848 2429

	Team 5.		
Gorham	188	154	139 471
Gray	166	130	201 497
Winn	160	116	167 443
Wyman	140	115	176 491
Hewitt	149	139	190 478
Totals	803	714	873 2390

Last Saturday evening Team 1 won from Team 3.

	Team 1.		
Rankin	179	158	147 484
Puffer	159	176	135 470
Gray	146	165	157 470
Johnson	158	139	178 475
Atwood	166	121	135 422
Totals	818	759	752 2319

	Team 3.		
J. A. Wheeler	149	147	195 491
W. H. Wheeler	140	140	140 420
Colman	164	121	143 427
Hartwell	152	156	188 496
Zoeller	174	131	143 448
Totals	779	695	809 2282

On Tuesday evening Arlington 2d and Medford played, the visitors being defeated.

	Arlington 2d.		
Wheeler	166	139	136 441
Rankin	196	172	158 526
Puffer	148	161	169 478
Wood	164	166	161 491
Colman	149	182	153 484
Totals	823	820	777 2420

	Medford.		
H. Teel	197	131	194 522
Chandler	132	171	152 454
Bradley	126	142	141 409
Trott	143	162	117 422
R. Teel	179	145	172 466
Totals	777	750	776 2303

The Arlingtons and Dudley Club contested Friday with the following result:

	Dudley Club.		
Rogers	181	166	127 474
Morrill	149	170	142 461
Hall	168	184	151 503
Armstrong	150	174	133 457
Saxe	145	148	169 462
Totals	793	842	722 2357

	A. B. C.		
Durgin	127	174	158 459
Marston	158	184	142 484
Wheeler	143	124	167 434
Dodge	158	158	154 470
Whittemore	151	180	138 469
Totals	737	820	759 2316

The hockey championship of the Interpreparatory School league was won last Saturday afternoon by the team of the Arlington Athletic association. The make-up of the teams were as follows:

	Waltham High.		Arlington High.
Wells, f.			f. Moore
Simon, f.			f. Cook
Whitcomb, f.			f. White
Crosby, f.			f. White
Mortimer, c. p.			c. p. Knowlton
Weeks, p.			p. Buckley
Lewis, g.			g. Russell
Goals—Wells 2, Crosby, Moore Cook, White, Wilder. Time, 20-min. halves. Referee—Pownall. Umpires—Buckley (White), Noble.			

The case of the State against William B. James comes to trial on Tuesday of next week.

Owing to the storm the grand opening at Moseley's bicycle agency was interfered with. Manager Underwood was all ready, however, and the long rows of wheels presented a fine appearance. Palms and plants were artistically arranged about the store. The concert was continued during the day. Many attended the opening and the orders received was indeed gratifying.

## CHILDREN'S DAY.

The entertainment by the pupils of public schools to have been given on the afternoon of Thursday was very wisely postponed by reason of the storm until yesterday afternoon, when at three o'clock sharp the exercises began according to the programme.

The singing of several patriotic selections by a chorus from the Russell school, under the direction of Miss Phelps, was exceedingly well done, receiving the heartiest applause.

The violin solo by Master Hackel, accompanied by Fred Butterfield on the piano, was executed with much taste. Master Hackel responded to an encore given, by rendering a second selection.

The flag exercise, by 20 pretty girls from the Locke school, was one of the taking features of the afternoon.

The club drill and Delsartie, by Miss Harriman's class, was enthusiastically received. Every movement of the class was made with exceeding grace. The class responded to an encore.

The recitation, "Sheridan's ride into Winchester town" given by a young lad from the Cutter school, was handsomely done.

The "pickaninny dance," by two missies "done more than brown," brought down the house.

Another violin solo by Master Hackel was much enjoyed.

The "good night drill," by the Crosby school, was most effectively rendered. This exercise was by fifteen little girls, each with a doll in her arms, and all of them, both girls and dolls, ready for sweet sleep and pleasant dreams. This class of little girls sang the sweetest of lullabies to their dolls, and then, kneeling, patted them to sleep, while they sang in subdued tones a prayer that they might be kept until the morning light. The entire exercise was an objective lesson in all that constitutes the home life.

The exercises of the hour were fittingly closed by the singing of "America" by all the pupils present, with the older grown. The face of Washington hanging on the wall at the rear of the room seemed to take on something of the glow and radiance born of that full chorus of voices as they blended in the music of our national hymn.

The entertainment from beginning to end was in every way delightful. The hundreds of children assembled were in enthusiastic accord with the occasion, while the fathers and mothers were made happy by the children.

## BADLY HURT.

On Thursday afternoon Mr. Edward Morrissey, who resides at 24 Summer street, met with a painful if not fatal accident. He went from his home to the Cutter pond on Mill street to remove a flush board from the dam and enable a large flow of water and thus ease up the pressure the large volume of water the heavy rain was having on the dam. He lost his footing while thus engaged, and fell 25 feet on some old mill stones in the brook below, striking on his head and side. His cries attracted Mr. Parris, who was near the brook, help was summoned and the injured man was taken to his home. Dr. Keegan was called, and upon examination found the scalp badly torn, ribs fractured and injury to the spine and chest. After being properly treated he was removed to the Mass. General hospital on the 5-24 train and was accompanied by Officer Cody. Mr. Morrissey for a number of years has been in the employ of the Fowle drug mills.

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## ROYALLY ENTERTAINED.

Last week invitations were sent out by members of the Building Fund association announcing a "Gentlemen's night." All the men knew what this meant, and prepared themselves accordingly.

As a rule, these suppers and whist parties of the ladies of this noble organization are swell social functions, and this proved no exception on Wednesday afternoon and evening. The hours were from three to ten.

All the afternoon guests were arriving, many in full evening dress, to participate in the enjoyable social time. The afternoon's programme consisted of selections by the Hartshorn orchestra of Boston, readings by Miss Elene Foster, while a Miss Spiller of Dorchester rendered some excellent solos on the clarinet. The readings by Miss Foster were far above the average, consisting as they did of selections from Eugene Field and James Witcomb Riley also other writers.

At seven o'clock the company was ushered below to the banquet hall, where Caterer Hardy had laid plates to the number of 150, this being the number of invitations which had complied to the committee's request by answering. There were nearly 50 more who arrived unexpectedly and a second table was quickly prepared, for Caterer Hardy is always prepared for these occasions. The tables looked beautiful with the silver, cut-glass and candelabras, and the tempting dishes which consisted of salads, cold meats, escalloped oysters, cake, fruit, ices of all kinds, ice cream, coffee,—all the good things an appetite could crave for.

A very pleasant incident occurred during the supper hour. President Mrs. Farmer was the recipient of a beautiful vase of Royal Worcester filled with a choice bunch of flowers from members of the association as a token of the high esteem in which she is held.

After all had finished supper, they retired to the main hall, where whist was played until ten o'clock, 38 tables being filled.

The handsome prizes, which were displayed on the piano during the evening, were as follows: Ladies—Two hand-painted dishes, won by Mrs. James Marden and Mrs. Allen; cut-glass olive dish, Mrs. Dr. Robinson; half-dozen silver coffee spoons in a case, Mrs. William A. Hsley. Gentlemen—Chafing dish, Mr. Frank Marden; silk umbrella, Mrs. White (acting as gentleman); military brushes in ebony, silver mounted, Mr. Morrison; box of cigars, Miss Haskell (acting as gentleman). The consolation prizes were won as follows: A pipe, Mr. Neal; silver lemonade spoon, Mrs. Geo. W. Knowlton.

Mrs. Nellie M. Farmer, and Mrs. George Thayer ably managed this brilliant affair, and certainly are to be congratulated on the success achieved.

Lemonade was served during the evening. Mr. W. W. Rawson generously furnished the ferns, palms and bouquet.

The most serious damage done by the storm Thursday was on the premises of Mr. E. A. Gleason on Swan's place. The water from the avenue poured into the catch basin but as the relief pipe was stopped up it soon filled up and came out through the manhole, and this stream together with the large flow of water from the brook in the cemetery on Pleasant street, met at this point. It seems as though the water tried to do all the damage possible for on investigation yesterday morning we found the earth had been washed away for about 10 feet wide by 8 or 10 feet deep. It will require about 100 loads of dirt to fill it up. The railroad bank was also badly washed out. The water made quite a pond in the low grounds.

Circle Lodge, 77, A. O. U. W., gave a "smoker" last Friday (16th), when five applications for membership were received. The exercises were opened by M. W., W. J. Freethy, who afterward gave way to Dist. Dep. W. A. Clarke of Newton. Rev. Mr. Crathen of Roxbury spoke on the fraternal element in the order in bringing about a brotherly feeling and good fellowship toward each other. Bro. O. A. Ward, grand overseer, called attention to the inducement offered by the life insurance feature of the order. An interesting exhibition was given by Mr. A. A. Tilden with a graphophone, which was well received.

## PLEASANT ENDING.

The last of the series of the subscription dances under the management of Messrs. Brooks and Elwell occurred on Wednesday evening. The hall was tastefully decorated. Washington's kindly face was the first to greet the corner, hanging as it did at the rear end of the audience-room, prettily draped with the stars and stripes, while directly beneath were the dates 1732 and 1900.

The ticket office was converted into a reception room and was so completely transformed that one could have hardly recognized it. Light pink bunting was hung around the room to cover the sides of the wall, with a deep border of light green. Streamers were used in profusion with flags. Rugs were placed on the floor and various chairs were placed about the room, and with the soft glow of the incandescent this place of retreat made an ideal one for those who wished to have a pleasant conversation or rest. In this room lemonade, frappe and wafers was served by two attendants from Caterer Hardy's.

The gallery was also turned into a cosy retreat, rugs and chairs making a decided improvement in its appearance. The red, white and blue were floating from the walls on all sides. Custer's orchestra rendered its best music. There were eighty couples present to enjoy the dance. The scene as the mazy waltz went on, with the gentlemen in full dress and the ladies in evening dress, was in every way brilliant. During the evening refreshments were served. The matrons of the dance were Mrs. J. Q. A. Brackett, Mrs. H. H. Homer, Mrs. W. A. Taft and Mrs. H. B. Peirce. The ushers were Messrs. William T. Foster, Jr., Harold Rice, Phillip French and Monroe Hill. The young ladies present so tastefully gowned and otherwise so agreeable and attractive drew to themselves the chivalrous young men who led them through the intricate dances. Messrs. Elwell and Brooks are deserving of much credit for planning this series of pleasant entertainments, and this too at no little pecuniary risk. Everyone will be glad that they were so fortunate in having such favorable weather on Wednesday evening as to bring out a paying number. Messrs. Elwell and Brooks may feel sure that another season there will still be a more generous response to their efforts. And the ushers too are entitled to many good words for the constant care and attention they gave those patronizing this series of dances. They saw that the necessary introductions were given each to the other, so that no one should miss any dance upon the programme, and this the ushers most unselfishly did, sacrificing their personal pleasure if need be in the dance. To all who have had officially to do with these delightful dances many thanks are due.

Members and guests came from Boston, Roxbury, Dorchester, Cambridge, and Somerville, and never before has there been held so successful a social gathering by this association.

The final arrangements are being completed to put old "Eureka" in the machine shop to be strengthened, so as to properly support the "brakes." Prof. Peter Schwamb has full charge of this work, and has given it a great deal of thought, and as everyone knows that means the best to be had. The "vets." propose to give on the 19th of April to the people of Arlington an exhibition of water-throwing still better than that which caused such a great surprise at Fall River.

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### THE 22D OF FEBRUARY.

The 22d of February which the American people have just celebrated will ever remain a memorial day to that illustrious name which must evermore continue a benediction to this "land of the free and home of the brave." It was not by mere chance that George Washington made his appearance in those crucial times which "tried men's souls." He was the offspring and outcome of the eternal plan. The infinite God never fails to adapt means to ends. We do not for a moment question that George Washington was raised up on purpose to lead our armies in the long Revolutionary struggle which secured to the New World its liberties. In all great emergencies there is always found a man to fit the place. Washington came at that supreme moment when he was most needed; and so, when the life of the nation was in imminent peril, Abraham Lincoln came clothed with divine authority; and again, in the darkest hour of the rebellion, Grant was sent to bring deliverance to the people. God never makes a mistake in choosing his man for any given work. The relation existing between the man sent and the event is always in exact proportion to the impending duty. Our American history is a second revelation that God has made of himself through his inspired servants.

We do well to annually make our way to the tomb of Washington, there to renew our faith in the eternal decrees of the everlasting right. And while with bowed heads and grateful hearts we review the earlier days, we, as a people, ought to consecrate ourselves anew to that simple inflexible honesty that was so manifest in the life and character of Washington. In these later days of political ambition and political intrigue we have gone far wide in many instances of the sterling principles that actuated the fathers. It is now too frequently true that party steps between the people and the ruling authorities. Selfishness has become too largely the chief motive. Could we only have Washington and Lincoln with us today in bodily form, they would do much in clearing the political atmosphere. The most unfortunate thing of all is that, while we shout for Washington and Lincoln, we vote for any man who is able to carry the convention. It would be well for us to retrace our steps. Contradictory as it may seem, one oftentimes advances more rapidly by going backwards. To ascend the loftiest heights, we first need to enter the valley, where we may take in our immediate surroundings. Things politically are widely and unfortunately different in this year of our Lord 1900 than what they were in Washington's day and, later, in Lincoln's time. In some way we have lost our bearings, and so are drifting into nobody knows what port. What we need is a man at the helm, whose eye shall, at every hour of the watch, be on the star. One who shall not become confused through "a multitude of counsel." We need to keep ourselves in closest touch with that immortal trio who have bequeathed to us a land redeemed. The 22d and 12th of February are dates in our calendar of time, around which and at which we must re-define individual and national liberties.

### THE PERSONAL COLUMN.

The personal column in the average journal of which so much has been made, and is made at the present time, has been and is now at this writing greatly overdone. By this we are not to be understood that we do not believe in personal mention. There are times when not to give space to the individual would be a breach of courtesy. On the other hand, we have always questioned the propriety and good taste of making individual mention in a suburban district, where, in almost every instance, each knows the other, of all social or more public gatherings. In attempting to make such an individual record some one will be unconsciously left out, and then comes the just complaint of an inexcusable partiality. And besides, there are not a few in a community like ours who much prefer that no use in a social way shall be made of their names in public print until they shall have been consulted upon the matter. The individual name is the man's or woman's own, and consequently we country journalists have really no right to advertise it as we please, although he or she may have appeared at the evening party in full or evening dress.

Now we imagine that we hear some one ask, after such a declaration on our part, "then why do you, Mr. Enterprise, make such extended personal mention of all social gatherings in Arlington?" A question pertinently put and to which we have only this answer, namely: because other country journals have spun out to an indefinite length their personal columns. In and of itself a weak answer we admit. We wrote during the past summer an editorial upon this very

matter of frequent and voluminous personal mention, and at that time we were more than half resolved that we would keep ourselves within proper bounds in matters of only, or at least chiefly, individual interest. But we weakened as we saw our exchanges were keeping full to the brim their personal columns. While we have no cast-iron promises to make by way of an out and out reformations in this line, still we may say that so far as any report we shall make from this date on of social gatherings of a private or more public character had here in Arlington, should there be no personal mention made of the same the readers of the Enterprise will understand that individual names have been purposely omitted, while at the same time we shall write of the gathering for all that it is worth to the public.

### THE REV. MR. GILL'S SERMON.

The Rev. Mr. Gill's sermon on Sunday evening in the Unitarian church on "Spiritism and Faith in Immortality," gives us the leading thought of this editorial, namely: "If a man die shall he live again?" Before proceeding to the discussion of what we have in mind, we hasten to say by way of introductory that Mr. Gill made a studied review along with the treatment of his text of the Rev. Dr. Minot J. Savage's recent book on immortality. It will be seen by the report we have given of the sermon in another column of this issue that Mr. Gill's review of the book was made in the spirit of all fairness, and with an intelligent understanding of Dr. Savage's belief in "spiritism" or "spiritualism." Dr. Savage is strongly inclined to the opinion, as every reader knows, that the immortality of the soul has already been proven in a scientific way by some of our leading authorities in all psychological research and there are those quite agreeing with Dr. Savage, such men for instance as Dr. James H. Hyslop, professor of logic, ethics and psychology at Columbia university; Prof. William James of Harvard; Prof. William Crookes of Harvard; Paul Bourget, author of the French Academy; A. J. Balfour, Lord Raleigh and the Marquis of Bute.

The Rev. Mr. Gill, however, does not clearly see as yet that Dr. Savage and those associated with him in the present research after immortality have scientifically proven the ongoing life of the soul, though hoping they may be able at no distant future to substantiate the proposition they have under consideration. With this view that Mr. Gill entertains most people will agree. Mr. Gill affirmed with a good deal of earnestness that should it be found quite impossible to prove the immortality of the soul from any point in the scientific world, still his faith in immortality would in no way be weakened thereby. The query, however, suggested itself to us, would not Mr. Gill's faith in immortality be strengthened were it mathematically proven beyond a question that the life of the soul is to run parallel with the eternities?

"If a man die shall he live again?" has been the query freighted with intensest interest from Job's day to this present hour, and it will be asked in almost breathless suspense so long as time shall continue, unless it shall be mathematically demonstrated as a fact that the soul shall never die. To the interrogation "do you know immortality to be a fact," the answer must necessarily be a negative one, future. No event, whatever that event may be, save death, can be foretold. So that in place of an absolute knowledge of certain things the most important, we must have faith unless we deny certain supposed truths which are regarded by man to be fundamental.

### "WASHING DISHES."

In conversation with a good Arlington woman the other day she somewhat impatiently declared herself as follows: "Mr. Palmer, we women are always washing dishes, while you 'lords of creation' have a variety of work." "Ah, my good madam," we replied, "you never was more mistaken in all your life, for the fact is we men are always washing dishes too." What our Arlington lady meant to say was simply this: Woman's work is so monotonous that she tires of it and not infrequently breaks down under it. We quite agree with our distinguished representative of the other sex that it is the monotony of work that kills. This doing the same thing over and over again, day after day, week in and week out, has a tendency "to make Jack a dull boy." The very moment we reduce ourselves to machines and so do things in a purely mechanical way, then it is that we most grievously complain of our lot in life. But whenever we bring our work, and here we have reference to manual labor, into the domain of thought then it is that every duty takes on a personality which gives interest and vitality in its execution. Do you suppose that John Pounds ever dolefully declared "I am forevermore washing dishes" as he "put new and beautiful souls into the ragged children of his neighborhood" while he mended their fathers' shoes? The world becomes a burden and all work a drag to every man and woman who goes through life without thinking. To become intensely alive is to bring about a new creation. The trouble with most men and women is that they mope. Everything they do is a job to be completed. The day to such is too long and the night too short. These mopes have for the most part their eyes on the sun hoping that it may soon

reach its meridian, and then they eagerly watch for its going down. They are never happy until the day's work is over, and even then they are not quite content, for they are troubled concerning the duties the morrow will bring them.

Just suppose for a moment that every man and woman were to become keenly alive in their several departments of labor? What say you would be the result? You might be sure, in such an event, that right in face of all the good things now said of Arlington there would be volumes written of her anew. The truth is, and we might as well confess it first as last, that mankind is naturally indolent and lazy. The most of us hate to move out of our tracks, and more frequently than otherwise we do not move until some live, progressive man or woman is likely to run over us in making his or her way. We do not greatly sympathize with the Arlington woman who insists that she in a menial way "is always washing dishes." When she thinks of the household for which all this is done, when she takes into consideration the children God has given her to rear and educate, when she remembers that her home is the very centre of that love and influence through which the world is to be made better, she ought to consider herself engaged in a divine mission while "washing dishes" and performing other duties of family life. The measurement of all work is found in the man or woman who does it. We impart to it character and dignity just in proportion as we possess the above qualities. It is always a just and unfavorable criticism upon ourselves whenever we stand and whine over the kind of work we are compelled to do. Remember that "the work always savors of the workman."

### EDITORIAL NOTES.

Thursday was the anniversary of George Washington's 168th birthday.

Mr. Henry D. Yerxa of Cambridge has been chosen to fill the vacancy in the executive council.

"Sapho" is getting the biggest kind of free advertising not only in New York city, but the whole country through.

Springfield is about to introduce cats, as the Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale suggests, into her public schools, hoping thereby to rid the school buildings of rats, with which at present they are over-run.

General and Mrs. Molineux do credit to all fatherhood and motherhood in the devotion they show to their condemned son. The general and his wife, with the wife of their unfortunate son, are now living at Sing Sing, within 300 yards of the prison.

The meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution has during the present week been in full blast at the national capital. On Tuesday afternoon over 900 of the fair daughters of the society visited the White House, to whom the president extended a cordial greeting with a hand-shake.

### DIED.

BUTLER.—In Arlington, on the 23d Feb., Mrs. Thomas Butler, aged 75 years.

FROST.—In Belmont, on Feb. 21, Katharine Lord, daughter of Walter L. and Etta L. Frost, aged 3 years, 6 months, and 24 days.

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Pursuant to and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Gilbert F. Young and Lucy E. Young, wife of Gilbert F. Young, in her right, to Nellie M. Farmer, dated September 14, 1897, and recorded with Middlesex so. dist. deeds, book 2294, page 486, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, as to the parcel located in Arlington, will be sold at public auction on the premises on the first parcel hereinafter described, being the parcel located in Arlington, on Monday, the twelfth of March, A. D. 1900, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises located in Arlington conveyed in and by said mortgage deed, viz.: Two certain parcels of land with the buildings thereon: The first parcel is situated in Arlington in said county of Middlesex, and comprises lot No. "fifteen" (15) in block "five" (5) of section "B" as shown on a plan of said section of the land of the Arlington Land Company, by Whitman & Breck, surveyors, recorded with Middlesex so. dist. deeds, book 21, plan No. 2. Said parcel is bounded as follows: Western by Claremont avenue, seventy-five (75) feet; southerly by lot No. 14 on said plan, one hundred and fifty (150) feet; easterly by lots Nos. 4 and 5 on said plan, seventy and 65-100 (70.65) feet; northerly by lot No. 16 on said plan, one hundred and fifty (150) feet. Containing 10,923 square feet. Subject to the restrictions contained in a deed from the trustees of the Arlington Land Co., J. O. Wetherbee, dated August 18, 1876, recorded with Middlesex so. dist. deeds, book 1408, page 26. The second parcel is situated in Medford in said county of Middlesex, and comprises a "sixty-two" and "fifty-one" on a plan entitled "Plan No. 5 of land in Medford, owned by William T. Smith, thirty-five (35.65) feet; southerly by lot No. 43 and 50 on said plan, one hundred and twenty-four and 68-100 (124.68) feet; northerly by land now or formerly of Samuel A. Smith, thirty-five (35) feet; northerly by land now or formerly of Samuel A. Smith, one hundred and twenty-five and 12-100 (126.12) feet. Containing 4389 square feet. As the mortgage on the second parcel located in Medford given by the grantors to Samuel A. Smith for \$2700, has been foreclosed, this sale will apply only to the first parcel which is located in Arlington.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, assessments and tax sales, if any there are. Other terms made known at sale.

NELLIE M. FARMER, Mortgagee.

February 12, 1900.  
J. Prescott Gage, Atty.,  
7 Temple building,  
Boston, Mass.

## RELIGION A JOY.

Notwithstanding the snow-banks, there was a good attendance at the people's service in the Baptist church on Sunday evening, and a strong chorus to lead the hearty congregational singing. It seemed to be a night of old favorites, "Mornington," "Truro," "March to Victory," "Glenn," and dear old "Antioch" were sung, the last named being the rousing climax, and it sounded as though the people loved it more than ever. Besides, it really sung the entire sermon, which was about "Religion as a joy." Dr. Watson gave out two texts, Gal. v. 22 and Phil. iv. 4. "The fruit of the spirit is . . . joy," and "Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say unto you rejoice."

He began by calling attention to the fact that in the first text there were many fruits mentioned, and he was plucking but one of them. Yet he said that it might be called the most characteristic of all, because each of the other fruits, when possessed, yielded this one also. "Love, peace, long-suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance," were each and all well-springs of joy, so are all the christian graces. This fact helps us to understand the real nature of joy. It is not a faculty but rather a quality in an action, a prevailing mood, an atmosphere of soul that envelops us during all the shiftings and changes of experience and getting into each one of them. It cannot be superficial, it should not be momentary or intermittent. It is not as demonstrative as ecstasies or delights that merely touch the surface. It is one of the greater states of feeling, too profound for demonstration. The greatest sorrows find no tear of relief, no wail of utterance. The greatest joys have no tongue but their own serenity and consciousness strength. So the old prophet said: "The joy of the Lord is your strength." And the apostle, "We rejoice in the hope of the glory of God," and, more surprising still, he declares "We glory in tribulations also," that is, in spite of them, even while their sharp tooth is felt, there is a serenity at the core of the sufferer that cannot be destroyed.

If joy is such a surprising fact, it must have a divine source. Our text says it does, that it is a "fruit of the spirit." It is really a fruit of two spirits that have become one. And it is but the glad consciousness of that union. "My heart is fixed, my heart is fixed," says the psalmist, "I will sing and give praise!" When a man's heart is fixed on God the fruit of the union is joy, and that joy is only another name for religion. It is religion, for what is our favorite definition of religion but this: "the life of God in the soul of man." The fruit of such a condition is joy. It is then because of its source that religion is a song of victory and not a requiem of defeat. Religion being what it is, what should it naturally produce—pain or pleasure? Bondage or liberty? Emptiness of life or a more abundant fullness? If I should say that religion is suffering and gloom would you accept that definition? Yet that is what far too many have insisted upon, and they have given religion the accent of a curse rather than the song-note of a blessing. Asceticism has been preached and practised as if the spirit could only purchase its joy by self-inflicted torture. The aspect of unrelieved soberness and solemnity has been insisted upon, as if life were nothing but a responsibility too awful to be borne or desired. It is true that there is a place for both suffering and solemnity, but you are not ready to say that either word would fully characterize religion, are you? You might as well point into horrible caverns, craters and gorges, into which no human foot would venture, and say: that is nature! But nature smiles upon us too persistently, blesses us too constantly and sways us by too beneficent a rule to be justly characterized only by the scars upon her fair face. It is true that in the New Testament both suffering and joy are constantly recognized, but which best characterizes the New Testament? One is a kind of medicine, and the other is the health it produces. Says the Apostle James: "My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into divers testings and provings." They produce patience, and patience is insisting upon perfect work. Joy is leaping out of the New Testament everywhere, just as dandelion spring up in May time. That conception of religion, then, that is not predominantly joyous does not come from God or from his word.

My last word is concerning the effect of such a religion upon ourselves and our fellows. It has the effect upon our lives that sunshine has upon all seeds, plants and trees. It enlarges, multiplies, ripens and makes us more wholesome, strong and abundant. And when it becomes the predominant note in our religion, people say: "That is the religion that I want, where did you get it?" Mr. Beecher once said he would any time give a servant-girl more wages who would sing as she worked. Shrewd sea captains in gathering their crews will pay more for a man who can sing sweetly or fiddle, because he can charm men out of sullenness and discontent, and relieve the desperate monotony of toiling and sailing. But when it is the joy of the Lord, and joy in the Lord, it is a deeper thing than that which can momentarily lighten the heart or the burden. Then a man has his own capital of joy in himself. He has a song in his own heart. Nothing that comes from without can rob him of it, nothing drowns the sweet notes. He will be like the chimera in the old cathedral tower at Antwerp, always thrilling the air with their music, every hour in the day, every day in the year. In all weathers, heat, cold, tempest, torrent, driving rain and hail, do they take their curious and melodious way. The first quarter hour they make a short lead towards the anthem, the second go a little further, the third still further, and when the hour strikes, out rings the glorious chant. Neither for storm or battle do they cease their singing. Often has war's tumult resounded through the streets of the old city, while from the chimera in the tower came strains that filled the upper air with melody. Joy in man's soul is just such a chimera as that. Something of serenity and triumph, deeper, higher than anything that can rage about him, or come to vex or harass his spirit. It was the purpose of God that man should find this harmony, and thus he has sent Jesus the great harmonizer. He is faith's open way into the father's life. He came to reveal joy and peace and to give them. When our heart touches his we know then what joy is, where it comes from, and what its effect is when it is real. We have plucked the fruit of the spirit, and have entered into a joy that shall go on forever.

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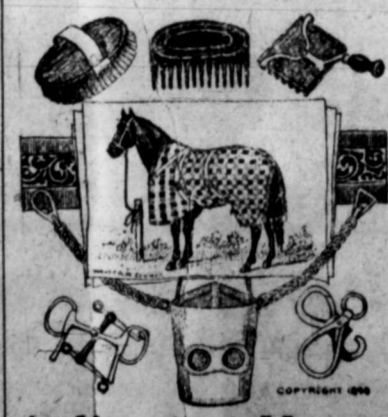
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# ARLINGTON NEWS.

Sunday, Feb. 25, quinquagesima.

Have your watch repairing done at Wetherbee Bros. in Swan's block.

Did you shout good and long for "the father of his country" on Thursday?

Don't forget that the annual town meeting occurs on Tuesday, March 6.

How the water came down, not at "Landore," but in Arlington, on Thursday.

Mrs. Helen Frazer and family are the guest of her brother Mr. Edward L. Smith.

Dr. Allen was out on Monday after being two weeks in the house with the grippe.

Mr. C. W. Hsley is having misfortune indeed. He has lost two horses with sickness.

The warrant for the annual town meeting has forty-four articles to be acted upon.

The Rev. Mr. Bushnell preached on Sunday evening in the Seaman's Bethel on Hanover street, Boston.

Camp 45 held its regular meeting on Tuesday evening. Everything tends to a successful year.

The Wide-Awake Lend-a-hand club will give an entertainment in G. A. R. hall on March 15.

Don't forget the hearing this evening in Town hall regarding the extension of Gray-street to Oakland avenue.

Mr. Louis Surrette is prepared to do all kinds of jobbing in the carpenter line. He is an expert workman.

Miss Agnes Damon, teacher in the Kindergarten, has been visiting friends in New York city this present week.

Mr. George A. Law, our popular livery stable man, has purchased a fine-matched pair of black horses for his hack.

Our local expressmen met on Thursday evening and formed an association. The officers will be elected at a future meeting.

An amusing shadow pantomime, entitled "In Pawn," is to be given in the Parish house, Maple street, on Monday evening.

Supt. Kimball and his men were prompt in clearing away the snow on the sidewalks and crossings on Sunday morning.

Mrs. George W. Knowlton is once more able to be out after her long illness, and meet her friends, who are glad to see her.

The papers were late last Sunday morning, arriving at nine o'clock, but it was impossible to deliver them owing to the drifts.

At the evening service at the Universalist church tomorrow, the young people will consider the life and works of Tennyson.

The no-license rally at the Town hall tomorrow evening should draw a full house. Arlington must continue a prohibition town.

Mr. Edward J. Crowe's two children were this week taken to the Waltham hospital, sick with diphtheria, by order of Dr. Keegan.

The Rev. Frederick Edwards, rector of St. Paul's, Malden, will preach in St. John's church on the morning of Sunday, March 4.

Next Wednesday, the 28th, is Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent. There will be services at St. John's church at 4 and 7.45 p. m.

At the study window of the Rev. Mr. Bushnell's residence was seen on the 22d the stars and stripes in honor of the immortal George.

The horses of Truck 1 and Hose 3 have all had a turn of sickness, Nellie, of the truck, requiring Drivers Sullivan and Brooks to be up nights.

Janitor N. E. Whittier of the Russell school set the topmast of the flagstaff on the park on Wednesday, so that the colors could float on Thursday.

A rehearsal of the play to be given sometime in March by the young people of the Unitarian church and society was had on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. John Lyons was taken to the Waltham hospital on Tuesday with diphtheria. Her wide circle of friends trust the disease is of mild form.

Mrs. Harry W. Bullard and Miss Dorothy are visiting friends in Washington, D. C., and attending the meetings of the Daughters of the Revolution.

On Tuesday evening of next week the Historical society will meet in Pleasant hall. Mr. George Y. Wellington will read a paper on "The West Cambridge of former days."

When you wish your horses shod and do not have time to take them to a blacksmith, just call up telephone 89-2 and Mr. Mark Sullivan will attend to your wants promptly.

Katherine Lord Frost, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Frost, and granddaughter of Dea, and Mrs. Warren S. Frost, died suddenly of diphtheria on Wednesday.

Veritas lodge will hold one of their whist parties on Monday evening, Feb. 26, in aid of their relief fund. Mrs. Stearns and Mrs. Marden are in charge. Give them a successful one.

There will be service at St. John's church every Tuesday evening in Lent. The preachers will be: The Revs. E. A. Rand, George Maxwell, Dr. Abbott, Dr. Gushee, A. P. Greenleaf, Dr. Shearman.

Shortly after seven o'clock on Sunday evening a large gang of men were put to work by the B. E. R. R. in clearing away the snow in the center of the town, the same being carted away on large pungs.

The Rev. W. S. W. Raymond, rector of Grace church, South Boston, will preach in St. John's church tomorrow. Morning service at 10.30, evening at 7.30. Mr. Raymond was formerly rector in Arlington.

Mr. Wilson Palmer is to speak on Friday afternoon, Mar. 2, before the association of teachers in Amesbury.

He is to have something to say on that occasion concerning our public school system and its supervisory management.

The catch basins about the town after being cleaned the first of the week were again filled on Thursday, thus requiring a second cleaning.

On account of the bad weather on Thursday the opening of the Moseley cycle agency will be continued all day today and evening. It will pay you to visit this opening and inspect their goods.

"Looking at an old portrait" will be Dr. Watson's subject at the people's service tomorrow evening. In the morning is the monthly sermon on the "Doctrines of our faith." All are welcome.

The factory of William B. Wood & Co. has been closed this week, the firm having been taking an account of stock. A new base has been put under the engine to replace the old one, which had become loosened and played out.

Rev. Mr. Bushnell christened on Thursday, at 26 Jason street, Roland, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Brown. Had it not been for the severe storm, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Brown of Lexington would have been present.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Pleasant street Congregational church will hold a consecration meeting tomorrow evening. The subject for discussion is "The strength of humility," Luke xviii. 9-14. Mr. James W. Baston will lead the meeting.

Rev. James Yeames will hold a series of special Lenten services for boys and girls, in St. John's church, on Friday afternoons at four o'clock. The addresses will be on the general subject, "The soldier of the cross." The title of the first address is "Enlisted."

On Monday evening occurs the first annual dance of the Chocoma Associates in Town hall. It promises to be one of the best dances of the season. Previous to the dance will be given an entertainment, at which excellent talent will appear. Give the boys a crowded house.

At the no-license rally at the Town hall tomorrow evening at eight o'clock, Representative J. Howell Crosby will preside and introduce the speakers, Mrs. Fessenden and Representative Willard Howland of Chelsea. The young people's societies will furnish the music.

Rollins Palmer of Brooklyn, New York, a present student in Dartmouth college, has been a guest for a portion of the week of Mrs. Harry W. Bullard. Mr. Palmer is the youngest son of Mr. Alanson Palmer, who was, for several years in the sixties, principal of the Russell school.

Mrs. Ruben Frost, wife of the venerable comrade of Post 36, died suddenly of cancer on Thursday at her home on Winter street. Mrs. Frost has been a sufferer for years, bearing her pain and sufferings without murmuring. The husband and two children survive her. The funeral is today at 2.30, Rev. Mr. Bushnell officiating.

The school board acted wisely as well as generously in giving our public schools the Friday following the 22d, making a vacation for both teachers and pupils from Wednesday afternoon until Monday morning. Nothing is lost in thus remembering the boys and girls in more or less frequently granting them an extra holiday, while on the other hand much is gained.

On our rounds on Tuesday we found the right-hand side of the Grove street at the junction of and Summer in a deplorable condition, caused by allowing the water to flow down Grove street by damming Summer street. It was with difficulty we made our way. We understand this is caused by the overflowing of a spring in the vicinity of the poor farm.

At the regular meeting of Hose 3 on Tuesday evening, the members were pleasantly surprised by an invitation from their popular clerk, Mr. George Pierce, to sit down and partake of a bountiful spread he had prepared for them in the main hall. The members did full justice to the repast, and extended their hearty thanks to Clerk Pierce. The monthly meetings of this company are becoming very enjoyable.

The C. L. S. C. met with Mrs. Adam on Monday afternoon, Vice-president Mrs. Williams in the chair. The required readings were discussed, and the miscellaneous by Mrs. Thayer were well chosen and rendered beautifully. Mrs. Adam read an antiquated itemized report of renovating a church, a humorous production which was enjoyed. Refreshments were served as usual, which completed the afternoon's entertainment.

Last Sunday afternoon, while Mr. F. L. Gordon, child and friend, of Boston, were out for a sleigh ride, the sleigh overturned when opposite the Robbins library, and all were thrown out but escaped injury. The horse became frightened, turned and ran up the avenue with the overturned sleigh, but was caught by Leo Jeanette when opposite Geo. A. Law's stable. The harness was badly broken, and the right side of the sleigh damaged. Another harness was procured of Mr. Law and the parties started for home.

All the regular services of the Universalist church were held last Sunday. The members of this church are not "fair weather christians." Knowing that a great many interested in the series of sermons now being delivered would not be able to be present, the pastor spoke on a different topic than the one announced, and will speak tomorrow forenoon on "The spiritual authority and leadership of Jesus," the second article in the new statement of belief.

Arlington made a good church showing on Sunday, when the storm is taken into consideration. At the Unitarian church there were 21 present in the morning; 15 at the Episcopal church; 20 at the Universalist church; and 40 at the Baptist church. We believe there was no service at the Congregational church, although the Rev. Mr. Bushnell was promptly on hand, but the laymen did not arrive. In the evening the above numbers were somewhat augmented. There were 85 present at the evening service in the Baptist church, and 60 were present at the Baptist Sunday school.

The Loyal Temperance legion enjoyed a stereopticon entertainment in the Parish house, Maple street, on Monday evening. More than fifty boys and girls with some twenty of their adult friends were present. Nearly 100 pictures were thrown on the screen by Mr. J. Palmer of Boston, and the fairy tales and temperance stories as illustrated were told by Mr. Yeames. The children sang three pieces very well, and a recitation was given by Nellie Williams, Florence Beers, Florence Irwin and Ethel Clark.

The second anniversary of the death of Miss Frances Willard, president of the National W. C. T. U., was observed by the local union on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Johnson, the president, led the meeting. Mr. Swann conducted devotional exercises. The memorial address was delivered by the Rev. James Yeames, and was much appreciated, and acknowledged by a rising vote of thanks. The regular meetings of the union are held on the first and third Tuesdays in each month, at 3.15, in St. John's Parish house, Maple street, and ladies are always welcome to attend.

The Unitarian club will hold its annual ladies' night on Tuesday evening of next week. The Rev. A. A. Berle of the Brighton Congregational church will address the club on "Municipal Government." The Rev. James Eelis of the First church of Boston will also address the club. An informal reception will be held in the club from 6.30 to 7 o'clock. Supper will be served in the vestry immediately after the reception. Odell's orchestra quartette will furnish music. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend this annual gathering. Tickets may be had of the secretary, Mr. Arthur A. Lawson, at \$1.00 each. The following musical programme will be rendered:

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Selection from "The Serenade" Herbert  
(a. "Albion Leaf" Whelpley  
b. "Spring Song" Merkel  
"Traumerei" Schumann  
"Filipino Shuffle" Odell

The office bearers of this club are: H. A. Phinney, president; S. Fred Hicks, vice-president; A. A. Lawson, secretary and treasurer; Rev. Frederic Gill and Harvey S. Sears, directors.

The storm of Saturday night and Sunday came dangerously near being a blizzard, and blizzards are just what we most fear. The storm of Saturday night came down very much in earnest with its accompanying high wind, so that on Sunday morning the earth was robed in purest white, with here and there a respectable-sized drift. But in spite of the storm, the church-going people, that is, some of them, found their way to their accustomed places of worship. Mr. Kimball, commissioner of streets, had his shovel brigade out on time clearing the highways. Commissioner Kimball has now a watch that even regulates the sun, so that he never gets left. He and his force did good work in removing the snow. The Boston & Maine railroad ran its trains when the storm was at its worst or best, either way you may have it, very nearly on time. Old Probabilities must bring out all the elements in wind and storm to in any serious way make late the trains on the Boston & Maine railroad. Mr. Morrow, the station agent, and his assistant, did not allow the snow to remain for any length of time about the station. They promptly cleared the way, so that the "all aboard" could be easily and readily answered. While the electric cars were somewhat belated, the snow-plough so cleared the tracks that the electric roads were running their cars on regular schedule time on Sunday afternoon. On the whole, Arlington came out of the storm "right side up."

We attended the services at the Unitarian church on Sunday evening, at which time the Rev. Mr. Gill, the pastor, gave an instructive review of the Rev. Dr. Minot J. Savage's recent book on "Faith and Immortality." Before speaking of the lecture-sermon, as Mr. Gill termed it, we must say a word of the music, which pleased us so much. The hymns sung were old familiar ones, in the rendering of which the congregation joined with the choir. Not a solo or a duet of some artistic selection to break in upon our peaceful meditation. The entire audience-room, however, was made vocal with simple song and praise. In giving out "America," which was sung with much heart and soul, the Rev. Mr. Gill referred to the names of Washington and Lincoln in terms that were lovingly fitting those two illustrious immortals. Mr. Gill, by way of an introduction of what he had to say of Mr. Savage's last book, spoke of the rev. doctor as one who had reached through the pulpit and through the press an army of men and women who had been helped to a larger faith in all good things. The Rev. Dr. Savage, Mr. Gill continued, was for twenty-five years a preacher in the city of Boston, and during that time had drawn many to his church who had not been previously accustomed to worship anywhere. In speaking of Dr. Savage's expressed thought on spiritism or spiritualism, Mr. Gill said that the doctor was of the decided opinion that, could the immortality of the soul be proven, much good would result in solving the social and economic questions of the hour. That is, convince a man that he has a soul-life which is to live on and on when the body shall have been forgotten, then

will he be well rid of that miserly, complaining spirit which looks with eyes askance on the things of another. The thought was that such an one knowing immortality to be a fact would not excessively exert himself in piling up this world's goods, or be much troubled that this one or that one had an excessive amount of that which is purely material. The Rev. Mr. Gill somewhat dissented from Dr. Savage's view by declaring that he would not think it wise that any absolute knowledge that one might gain of the immortality of the soul should substantially lessen one's manly struggle in life to secure his share of what belonged to him. Mr. Gill thinks it in every way desirable that one should strenuously object to this or that individual having such a monopoly of wealth that he could control corporations against the public good. Mr. Gill evidently has but little sympathy with the controlling and autocratic influence of the Rockefellers and the J. P. Morgans; and so it is with immortality as a known fact, he would have men and women everywhere so alert and alive to their duties and privileges that by an incessant and reasonable activity there should be secured to every man and to every woman his and her rights in spite of our money kings; and in all this we respond "amen" to Mr. Gill. Another thought of Dr. Savage's book is that all about us are those who have taken on the higher life, although we may not be able to take in and appreciate their loving and royal companionship no more than we are able to detect in clearly enunciated sound the infinitely multiplied vibrating of the air. If we understand rightly the review given by Mr. Gill, the Rev. Dr. Savage believes in a continuously progressive life, and that one will enter upon that other existence on a higher or lower plane in exact proportion or ratio as he has lived his earthly life. Dr. Savage does not profess to be a spiritualist, only a student in all psychological research. Still it is difficult for us to understand how the immortality of the soul can be proven, as Dr. Savage believes it already to have been proven, without direct communication with those "gone before." Mr. Gill made an interesting and instructive evening for his hearers in his analysis of the Rev. Dr. Savage's thought of the immortality of the soul.

The Social Alliance held an unusually interesting meeting on Monday afternoon in the parlors of the Unitarian church. Mrs. Dr. Dennett, president of the alliance, presided. The short business meeting was followed by a paper by the Rev. Dr. George Cutter, a former pastor of the Unitarian church, on the life of the Spanish statesman, Emilio Castelar, who was born at Cadiz, Sept. 8, 1832. Castelar was distinguished as a statesman, as an author and as an orator. Without either friends or wealth to aid him, he became famous the world over. He possessed a charming personality and the culture of the schools. He was compelled to flee from Spain after the uprising of 1866. In 1868 he became a republican leader, and in 1873 was made minister of foreign affairs, and president of the execution in September of that same year. His writings have not only been read in his own country but in this country as well. The Rev. Dr. Cutter made his paper on Castelar peculiarly interesting, as he personally knew him, having been a guest at his home in Madrid. Dr. Cutter described the Spanish statesman as a man of delightful presence and instructive upon all subjects of which he discoursed. A graceful orator, and much at home before an audience, yet, Dr. Cutter affirmed, Castelar was one of the most timid of men just at that critical moment previous to his facing the audience which he was to address; but well upon his feet with the first utterance of speech, he became the graceful and charming orator that he was. Castelar died immediately following the late Spanish-American war. The Rev. Dr. Cutter gave a delightful hour to the Social Alliance. After the address, tea was served by Mrs. Wellington Hardy and Miss Hodgdon.

We had a pleasant interview with the Rev. Mr. Yeames on Thursday morning at his home on Devereaux street. We found the reverend rector in his cosy and attractive study, surrounded by his books, where we received a cordial welcome. Mr. Yeames is always an interesting and instructive man to meet. Of eminently a social nature, one never finds himself at a loss in determining what to say next. Mr. Yeames is conversant with our best authors, so that his conversation is invariably instructive. He may be seen almost daily at Robbins library during the latter part of the afternoon. As rector of St. John's Episcopal church, Mr. Yeames is deeply interested in every department of its work, and while he gives every attention and care to his ministerial duties as a whole, he is especially interested in the young people, and so he is constantly devising means which shall afford them legitimate amusement and instruction. With a somewhat extended experience in the ministry upon both sides of the water, Mr. Yeames has come to know men and women, and the way in which he may the more readily approach them. Of English birth and education, and still loving the mother country with all the devotion of a loyal son, yet he is an American through and through. No one is more keenly alive to the interests of Arlington than is he. It is a sincere pleasure to us that we have come to know the Rev. Mr. Yeames so well.

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